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THURSDAY February 29, 1739.

The SPEECH *of the Honourable* GABRIEL JOHNSTON *Eſq; Captain General, Governour and Commander in Chief in and over his Majeſty's Province of* North-Carolina.

Gentlemen of his Majeſty's Council and of the Houſe of Burgeſſes.

I HAVE called you together ſome Weeks ſooner than I intended, becauſe I found it the unanimous Deſire of the Inhabitants of all Ranks, and would willingly make the Inclinations of the People, the Rule of my Adminiſtration, whenever I can do it by Methods conſiſtent with my Duty to the King and my own Honour.

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Burgeſſes,

I hope you are met together with firm Reſolutions to promote the publick good; to extinguiſh thoſe Diviſions and Animoſities which have ſo long prevail'd, and to relieve this unhappy Colony from thoſe Calamities, it has ſo long groaned under.

To encourage you to ſet about this in the moſt effectual Manner, I ſhall inform you, that all thoſe Diſputes concerning the Rights and Revenues of the Crown; which have been carried on with ſo much Warmth for ſome Years paſt, and which engroſſed the Attention of former Aſſemblies; are now fairly ſtated on both ſides, and laid before his Majeſty, and am well aſſured, will be ſpeedily determined in ſuch a Manner, as to render it impoſſible for any Perſon whatſoever; to revive them for the future; ſo that there is nothing now to prevent you from applying your ſelves to redreſs thoſe real undiſputed Grievances, which are of infinitely greater Conſequences than any of thoſe, about which ſo much Noiſe has been lately made.

The Eſtabliſhment of the publick Worſhip of Almighty God; as it is the great Foundation of the Happineſs of Society, and without which you cannot expect his Protection, deſerves your earlieſt Care. That in ſuch a wide extended Province as this, inhabited by Britiſh Subjects, by Perſons profeſſing themſelves Chriſtians, there ſhould be but two Places, where Divine Service is regularly performed, is really ſcandalous, it is a Reproach peculiar to this Part of his Majeſty's Dominions, which you ought to remove without Loſs of Time.

Your Laws which are diſperſed in a few obſcure incorrect Copies, ought to be carefully reviſed, and printed, that the Magiſtrates, may have a more plain & exact Notion of thoſe Laws they are to execute, and the People you repreſent may be better acquainted, with a Matter, on which their own and their Poſterity's Lives and Fortunes ſo much depend.

Your Trade Gentlemen, has been always in ſo languiſhing a Condition, that it is ſurpriſing no Attempts have ever yet been made to ſettle it on a right Bottom, and the poor Appearances of it we have ſtill among us ſeem every Year to decay. As Things ſtand at preſent, the People are impoveriſhed, and yet the Merchant not inriched, the Planter gets but a Triſle for the Fruits of all his Labour, and the Trader not capable of making any Returns. It is highly incumbent on you Gentlemen to ſearch this Evil to the Bottom, and not to ſuffer your ſelves, to be amuſed with ſuperficial Remedies; if you do not think proper to give effectual Encouragement, for raiſing ſome Produce that will bear a Price in Britiſh Markets, I am afraid all your other Endeavours will be to little Purpoſe.

Your Imports, will always hold a Proportion to your Exports, and if nothing is ſent abroad, but what is a Drug in Foreign Markets, you can bring Nothing home, but the Refuſe of thoſe Markets, and that at an extravagant Price too.

I ſhould be glad Gentlemen, if you would take theſe Subjects into your ſerious Conſideration, you would ſoon find a very ſenſible and happy Alteration, both in publick Affairs, and your own private Fortunes. If the Aſſemblies of this Province, would employ more of their

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Time in adjuſting ſuch important Points as theſe, and not ſo much of it in Matters of leſs Moment, and which have hitherto produced nothing, but a great deal of unprofitable Striſe and Contention.

LONDON, *Nov.* 30.

They write from Vienna, that Orders have been ſent to all the Bookſellers in that City, prohibiting the Sale of a certain Piece, lately printed in London, and afterwards in Holland, intitled, 'Conſiderations on the imminent Dan'ger to which Europe would be expos'd ſhould the Au'ſtrian Netherlands and Luxembourg fall into the Hands 'of France.

Extract of a Letter from Jamaica, Sept. 11, 1738.

The Drake Sloop, Capt. Maſters, has brought in a French Sloop, which is condemn'd; and a Tartane, with two Spaniards, the one dead, and the other is condemn'd, as a Pirate, to be hang'd in Chains.

Cuſtom-Houſe, Charlestown,

Entred inwards,

Ship Baltick Merch. Nath: Alloway from Briſtol.
Snow Endeavour, Ch: Smyter from Boſton.
Sloop Sarah, Seth Drumond from Frederica.

Entred out,

Snow Hannah, Ja. Killpatrick for Cowes.
—— Molly, Corn: Bowne for Dover

Clear'd for Departure,

Ship Eagle, Fr. Williams to Cowes
—— George & Mary, Joſ: Uſtell to Cowes
—— Charm. Nancy, Ch: Stedman to ditto.
—— Cæſar, Edm: Smyter to London.
Sloop Providence, John Johnſton from Providence.

EXPORTED from this PLACE ſince *Nov.* 1, 1738

Rice 25738 Barrels. Pitch 1740 Tarr 315. Turpentine 12 Whereof 2067 Barrels of Rice to the Southward of Cape *Finiſterre.*

PRICE of the following Goods.

Rice 43 s. 44 s.
Pitch 40 s.
Tar 30 s.
Turpentine none.
Skins 17 s. 6 d. to 18 s.
Flour *per C.* 3 l. 10 s.
Middling bread 5 l. 10 s.
Milk —— 2 l. 10 s to 2 l. 15 s *per* qu. Caſk.
White —— 2 l to 2 l. 5 s. per ditto.
Brown —— 3 l. 10 s.
Ship —— 4 l.
Coarſe Salt *per Buſh.* 10 *ſh.*
Fine ditto 15 s.
Indian Corn 10 s. to 12 s. 6 d.
Jamaica Rum *per* Cask 18 s
Limejuice 10 s.
Barbados Rum *per Hhds.* 15 *ſh.*
Meaſſes *per Hogſh.* 12 *ſh.* 6 d.
Madeira Wine, per Pipe 100 l.
Vidonia Wine, *per* ditto 80 l.

At a Meeting of the Veſtry of the Pariſh of St. *Thomas* in *Berkley* County, February 22, 1738.

RESOLVED, that publick Notice be given to all Perſons indebted to the ſaid Veſtry on Account of the Free-School Fund, to pay in their Intereſt Money to them or Order by the 25th of *March* next, otherwiſe their Bonds will be put in Suit by *Ch: Pinckney* and *Wm. Trewin* Eſq'rs. who are deſired to adverтiſe this Reſolution in the Weekly Gazette, and that Mr. *How* do acquaint them herewith.

WHEREAS by the Deceaſe of Mr. *John Crokatt* late of *Charleſtown* Merchant, the Partnerſhip between the ſaid *John Crokatt* and *George Seaman* is now expired. This publick Notice is hereby given, deſiring all Perſons whatſoever that are indebted to the ſaid Company before the firſt Day of *October* laſt, to pay off their reſpective Debts before the firſt Day of *May* next, otherwiſe they will be ſued without further Notice, and likewiſe all Perſons indebted ſince ſaid firſt of *October*, are deſired to come and ſettle the ſame before the ſaid firſt of *May*, as there is an abſolute Neceſſity then to conform and ſettle all the ſaid Company's Affairs.

NB. The Store will be kept in the Place and Manner as formerly by

George Seaman.

Whereas very little Regard has been had to *Beale* and *Cooper's* former Adverтiſements, wherein they gave Notice of their Co-partnerſhip being out and deſired thoſe who were indebted to them to diſcharge their reſpective Debts; therefore all ſuch as have not within two Months laſt paſt been aſſured to the Contrary and who do not give Satisfaction before the Time of iſſuing the Proceſs will be ſued at next *May* Court

NB Muſcovado Sugar, *Barbados* and *New-England* Rum to be ſold by *Oth: Beale*, who has alſo to let a good Houſe, with a Garden, ſcituate in *King* ſtreet.

On Tueſday the 27th of *March* at the Plantation of Mr *Wm McKenzie* late of this Province, will be expoſed to publick Sale, the ſaid Plantation containing 966 Acres or thereabonts of good Land, being within two Miles of *Gooſe-Creek* Bridge, whereon is a very large and commodious Brick Houſe in good repair, a Kitchen and all Out-houſes neceſſary for a Plantation, in the beſt Order. At the ſame time are to be ſold a choice parcel of Negro Slaves, Men, Women and Children, amongſt whom are two pair of Sawyers, 2 Coopers, a Carpenter and Shoemaker.

On Thurſday the 29th of the ſaid Month will likewiſe be ſold at publick Outcry in *Charleſtown*, a very good Houſe and Lott in *Elliot's*-ſtreet, where the ſaid *William McKenzie* formerly lived, and wherein Capt. *Reid* now dwells. As alſo the Houſe and Lot in *Tradd*-ſtreet, where Mrs *Hargrave* now lives, likewiſe the Houſes and Lotts fronting the old Church-Yard, joining Mr. *Bourget's* Lott on the South, and the Square or Market Place on the North, containing 100 Feet Front, and 235 Feet deep.

The Conditions of the Sale, are one or two Years Credit, the Purchaſer paying Intereſt from the Day of Sale and giving good Security.

NB There are ſeveral Tracts of Land to be ſold, viz. 550 Acres at *Saltcatchers*, 500 Acres on *Cambahee*-River, 1550 and 650 at *Orangeburgh*. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe may apply to the Executrix and Executor on the Terms above mentioned.

Sarah McKenzie Executrix.
John McKenzie Executor.

To be ſold a Lott of Land on the Green, any Perſon inclin'd to purchaſe the ſame, may treat with

Sarah Blakeway.

All Perſons that have any Demands on the Eſtate of *Joſ: Peycom* deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their Accounts to his Executrix *Rebeccah Peycom*, that Methods may be taken for the Diſcharge of the ſame as ſoon as poſſible.

To be lett a large Houſe (next to Mr. *Brand's*) fronting Broad-ſtreet and King-ſtreet, containing a ſpacious Hall, and 10 diſtinct Rooms, together with its Appurtenances; being a Kitchen, Store houſe, Garden and Well with extraordinary Water. Enquire of *John Vaughan* Bricklayer.

To be ſold by *John Moor* late of *Charleſtown* Butcher, the Houſe and Lott and other Conveniences where he now lives, and joining the Crown Inn, alſo 400 Acres of Land on the North Side of *Santee-River*, who hereby gives Notice to all Perſons indebted to him to diſcharge their reſpective Debts on or before the 25th of *March* next.

John Moor.

TO BE SOLD a Tract of Land containing 450 Acres, lying in the Townſhip of *Williamsburgh*, bounding on the South-Weſt on *Black*-River, South-Eaſt on Land of *John Scott*, and on all other ſides on vacant Land. Alſo one Lott in the ſaid Town, (No. 310). Likewiſe a Negro Man who is a very good Cook, makes Soap and Candles very well, has had the Small Pox, is healthy and ſtrong, ſpeaks good Engliſh, and is fit for a Boat. Alſo a Negro Woman, underſtands all manner of Houſe Work, waſhes very well, and is likewiſe fit for a Plantation, has had the Small Pox and is a healthy ſtrong Wench. Whoever has a mind to purchaſe the ſame or part, may enquire of *Wm. Williamſon* in *Th: Ellis's* Alley by Capt. *Gates.*

Fort St. SIMONS, *Jan.* 28, 1738-9.

DESERTED out of the Companies of Lieutenant-Colonel *Cock an* and Capt. *Heron*, in the Regiment of Foot commanded by his Excellency General *Oglethorpe*, *Edward Wright*, *Charles Ellinfworth* and *Joseph Rippon*. Whoever apprehends them or either of them, and secures him or them, and gives Notice thereof so as he or they may be sent for to St. *Simons*, shall on the Delivery of him or them receive for each the Sum of 5 l. to be paid by me

William Cook.

Whoever harbours or receives them or either of them, shall be prosecuted according to the Law in that Behalf made and provided.

Edward Wright is about twenty-four Years of Age, Five Feet seven Inches high, fair thin Face, wore when he deserted a brown Wig.

Charles Ellinfworth about twenty-three Years of Age, Five Feet eight Inches high, fair Complexion, Yellow Hair, a Mole on his Chin.

Joseph Rippon about twenty Years of Age, about Five Feet Nine Inches high, ruddy Complexion, short black Hair

TO BE LETT a Plantation within 2 Miles of *Charlestown*, and pleasantly scituated between the High-Road and *Ashley* River, lately in the Possession of *John Flammerton* Esq; there is about 40 Acres of Land, a good Garden, Orchard and Pasture, with very convenient Buildings, Stables and Out-houses. Enquire of

Benj Whitaker.

Stray'd from Mr. *Whitaker's* Plantation, a black Horse about 13 Hands high, round bodied, a small Star in his Forehead, his off Foot behind, white near the Foot lock Whoever brings him to the Owner in *Charlestown*, or to the Plantation above mentioned, or will give an Account of him so that he may be had again, shall receive 40 s reward, and have their Charges paid.

JUST IMPORTED and to sold by *Peleg Fachham* on Board the Sloop *Orange Tree*, at Mr *Burford's* Bridge, good Brandy, choice *New England* Rum, *Rhode-Island* Cheese, Butter, Irish Potatoes, and fine Horses.

All Persons to whom the Estate of *Henry Livingston* deceased is indebted, are desired to send in their Demands to his Executrix *Ann Livingston*, that Methods may be taken for the Discharge of the same as soon as possible.

All Persons indebted to the Estate of Landgrave *Thomas Smith* late of *Goose Creek* deceased, are desired to discharge the same by the first Day of *May* next, and any Persons having any Demands on the said Estate, are desired to bring in their Accounts in order to be discharged by his Executrix Mrs *Mary Smith*. Also to be sold two Pieces of Land, one joining on *Granville's* Bastion, containing 70 odd Feet Front and 145 deep, the other in *Church street*, joining Mr. *Wm. Scriven* *Mary Smith*

TO BE SOLD by *Sobieskie Strahan* Milliner, at her Shop at the lower End of *Tradd* street near the Bay, several valuable Rings and Ear-rings set with Diamonds and other precious Stones, sundry very handsome Gold & Silver Snuff Boxes, and Lady's Gold Seal & Sleeve Buttons, 6 large Silver Spoons and a sett of new fashion tea ditto, likewise all sorts of Millinary Ware

TO BE SOLD a Tract of Land in *Williamsburgh* Township, known by the Name of *Goddard's* Plantation, containing 1600 Acres, with 13 Slaves now upon it. The Purchaser paying 1000 l down, may have 7 Years Credit for the Remainder, paying Interest and giving Security if required, any Person inclinable to purchase may treat with me in *Charlestown*. *Francis Goddard.*

To be sold Part of a Lott in *Queen street*, next to Mrs. *Blondel's*, by the Presbyterian Meeting, 50 Feet Front and 130 deep, very cheap for ready Money. Enquire of *Sarah Brickles*. To be let on the 20th of *March* next, the Tenement joining the Crown Inn in *King-street*, 6 Rooms in it, with a good Kitchen, Store-room and Garden. Enquire of Madam *Logan* at said House, or of Mrs. *Brickels* next Door, who has some Rooms to let, and has to sell a sett of Chimney-Tiles, two pair Mens Dantzick Shoes (at prime Cost) shoes for Girls about 4 or 5 Years old.

TO BE SOLD by *Binford* & *Osmond*, choice good Rhenish Wine, Spices, Bed ticks and fine Thread just imported, also good Madeira Wine, and a parcel of English Wheat.

Just imported in the *Nightingale*, *Tho: Barnes* Master from *New-York*, and to be sold by *John Dart*,

Melasses,	From *New England*.		
Sugar,	Rum,	Iron Pots,	And good
Bread,	Tobacco,	Chest of Drawers,	MADEIRA
Butter	Bricks,	Cart Wheels,	WINE.
& Pease.	Scrutoir	Lanterns,	
	Tables.	Wooden Ware.	

The Commissioners appointed by an Act for encouraging the Manufacture of Silk in this Province, under the Direction of Mr. *John Lewis Poyas*, give Notice, that they are ready to treat with the Parents of any Children who are willing that their Children should be instructed in so useful a Manufacture. Such as come from the Townships, will be provided for, during their Apprenticeship, at the Expence of the Publick, others must be furnished at the Charges of their Parents, and Mr. *Poyas* being now settled on a Plantation provided for him by the Commissioners, is ready to receive any Number of Apprentices this Year, not exceeding ten.

Ralph Izard.
Isaac Mazyck.
Benj. Whitaker

Just imported in the Ship *Hope*, *Thomas Wilne* Commander from *London*, and to be sold at very reasonable Rates by *Johnston* & *Robertson*, at their Store on the Bay next Door to Mr. *Henry Peronneau* a choice assortment of European, India and other Goods, viz. mechlin & english laces, cambricks and lawns, garlix, tandem, nuns bag flanders & garlix hollands, english, scotch, dutch & irish linnens of all sorts, great variety of chints, callicoes, english and indian silks, silk & cotton, silk and worsted and worsted stuffs, druggets, duroys and trimmings, womens gloves and stays, &c. ready made cloaths and shoes of all sorts, bohea and green tea, loaf and powder sugars, scotch plaids, bed ticks and feathers, snuff, tobacco and pipes, Florence and linseed oyls, pewter, paints and pickles, raisins and currans, gun powder and lead shott, pictures and looking glasses, duffil blankets and negro cloth, iron, cutlary, sadlery, millinary, turnery, tin, china, stone and earthen Wares of all sorts, divinity, history and physical books with sundry other goods usually imported.

NB. *A due Regard will be had for present Pay.*

Just imported in the Jolliff's Adventure, & to be sold by *Wm. Jolliff* at his Store next Door to Mr. *John Bee* on the Bay, choice Dorsetshire beer in bottles, cordage, cork, cases of bottles, tavern and common pipes, cheese, womens stays, osnabrigs 3 fourth 7 8th and yard wide garlix, strip'd and check'd linnen, strong bread and narrow sheering dowlas, shirting linnen some superfine 7 8th garlix, and sundry other European Goods very cheap.

Just imported in the Sloop Nightingale, *Thomas Barnes* Master from *New York*, and to be sold by *Benj D'harriette* at his Store in *Union* street, very good new Milk bread *per* qu Cask, 50 s good white ditto *per* qu. Cask, 40 s. ditto in Barrels 7 l. 10 s. *per C.* very good Cheese & Indian Corn Linseed Oyl *per Gal.* 40 s. and extraordinary good green Tea, 55 s. *per lb.*

To be sold a Tract of good Land convenient for Dams and a Saw Mill, joining *Silk hope* & *Dave Huger's* containing 1400 Acres, with a convenient Dwelling House, Barn and Negro-houses, in parcels or the Whole. If any Person is inclin'd to purchase, Credit will be given for 3 or 4 Years if required, *Wm Wright.*

NB Run away a Negro Boy about 16 Years old, named *Bellfast* alias *Jamy*, went on a Bay Horse, branded RI on the Buttock. Whoever apprehends and delivers him to *Robt Wright* near *Dunlopher*, or to my Plantation near *Silk-hope*, shall have 3 l. reward.